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Re: Harold Weisberg v. U.S. Department of Justice, et al. (D.C. Cir. 82-1072)

Dear Jim:

This will acknowledge receipt of Mrs. Lilliam Weisberg's check for $145.60 in payment of the bill of costs in the above case.

You inquired as to whether your client is entitled to an award of attorney fees. This may turn, as you know, on whether there are any claims on which he has "substantially prevailed." I would appreciate your informing me of any claim on which your client "substantially prevailed" in this case and of the fees and costs incurred regarding that claim which you think should be paid by the Government. I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

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